PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No.: _117601

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Group Art Unit: 2874

Examiner: P. PALMER

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BERRIDGE, PLC

In re the Application of

Takayuki KONDO

Application No.: 10/722,434

Filed:

November 28, 2003

For:

ON-CHIP OPTICAL INTERCONNECTION CIRCUIT, ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE, AND

ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

Any additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
TOTAL CLAIMS	*21 MINUS	**20	=1		
INDEP CLAIMS	*4 MINUS	***3	=1		
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					

SMALL						
_	ENTITY					
		·				
		ADD'L				
	RATE	FEE				
	x 25	\$				
	x 100	\$				
	+ 180	\$				
·		\$				
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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY					
ΩR	RATE	ADD'L FEE			
	x 50	\$	50		
	x 200	\$	200		
ΩR	+ 360	\$			
		\$	250		

- * If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

Check No. 175935 in the amount of \$250.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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DEVICE, AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 16, 2005 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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